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To: House Bill No. 5077

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***"AN ACT CONCERNING THE RETURN OF PRESCRIPTION
DRUGS TO PHARMACIES."***

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) Not later than July 1, 2018,
4 the Commissioner of Consumer Protection, with the advice and
5 assistance of the Commission of Pharmacy, shall adopt regulations, in
6 accordance with the provisions of chapter 54 of the general statutes, to
7 allow pharmacies licensed pursuant to chapter 400j of the general
8 statutes to accept and dispose of unused prescription drugs. Such
9 regulations shall: (1) Comply with federal law regarding the
10 acceptance and disposal of unused prescription drugs at pharmacies,
11 (2) establish a tracking and monitoring system and security
12 requirements for such drugs, and (3) specify locations within
13 pharmacies where such drugs may be accepted and stored. The

14 commissioner, after consulting with the Commissioner of Energy and
15 Environmental Protection, shall establish a process in such regulations
16 to ensure the secure removal and destruction of such unused
17 prescription drugs including, but not limited to, allowing for optional
18 prescription drug disposal agreements with law enforcement
19 authorities."

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| This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections: | | |
| Section 1 | <i>from passage</i> | New section |